## KING'S WONDERLAND

If you haven't seen it, walked through it, and smelled and felt its beauty, you have missed something memorable.

We speak of the spacious front, back and side yards of the residence of Tom and Eunice King, now retired after 19 years as owners of King's Ideal Supply in Vero Beach.

In the front yard, stately Queen palms, and cabbage palms, a Norfolk Island pine, a dollar tree, a monkey-puzzle tree, a Tennessee red cedar.

In the back yard big old oaks, cabbage palms galore, and hundreds of Hibiscus, and many flowering plants whose names would not be known to any but the most dedicated gardeners. A garden wonderland, indeed.

Tom King, in retirement, has bought a new lawn mower and at last has time to work in his garden without hurrying, without neglecting more pressing business. He came from Shelby County Indiana some 46 years ago. Mrs. King is a Floridian, born on John's Island.

Some of the AHS members took a few moments from the recent Hibiscus Show in Vero Beach to visit Tom and Eunice King and relax in "King's Wonderland." It is truly a show place.

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Walking along a street, a man was attracted by screams coming from a house. He ran in to investigate and found a frantic mother whose son had swallowed a dime. Seizing the boy by the heels, he held him up, gave him a few shakes and the coin dropped out on the floor. The grateful mother was lost in admiration.

"You certainly knew how to get it out of him," she said. "Are you a doctor?"

"No, Ma'am," he replied. "I am the Treasurer of the American Hibiscus Society.



## MISS HELEN JOHNSON ON LANDSCAPE BOARD

Gov. Haydon Burns has appointed Miss Helen Johnson, landscape designer at Everglades Nursery, a member of the State Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects effective January 15, 1966.

She will be one of the five original members of the board created by the 1965 legislature.

Miss Johnson, secretary-treasurer of the Everglades Nursery Co., will pass on the capabilities of those applying for landscape architecture licenses as a member of the board.

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Burns wrote Miss Johnson; "Knowing of your abilities as I do, I feel that our state and its citizens are most fortunate to have your services in this capacity."

Miss Johnson is also a member of the Board of the American Hibiscus Society.

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Bride: "Neither, You be both. I'll just be the treasurer."